

A. O. NO.: 4-110  
ORDERED:  
EFFECTIVE:

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY  
ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

SCHEDULE OF RATES, FEES AND CHARGES FOR THE  
MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT

AUTHORITY:

Section 4.02 of the Miami-Dade County Home Rule Amendment and Charter, and Chapters 2 and 32 of the Code of Miami-Dade County.

SUPERSEDES:

This Administrative Order (AO) supersedes AO 4-110 ordered September 17, 2003 and effective October 01, 2003, ~~AO 4-110 ordered September 19, 2002 and effective October 01, 2002~~, AO 10-1 dated October 8, 1996, AO 4-79 dated October 6, 1994 and AO 4-92 dated October 6, 1994.

POLICY:

This Administrative Order provides a schedule of rates, fees and charges for water and sewer service.

PROCEDURE:

The Director of the Miami-Dade Water and Sewer Department shall be responsible for the billing and collection of rates, fees and charges and the delivery of the required services pursuant to Chapter 2 and 32 of the Code of Miami-Dade County and this Administrative Order. Every year, or earlier, if need be, the Director shall review all rates, fees and charges in terms of cost and recommend necessary changes to the County Manager through this administrative order procedure.

RATES, FEES AND CHARGES SCHEDULE:

The schedule adopted by this Administrative Order is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

This Administrative Order is hereby submitted to the Board of County Commissioners of Miami-Dade County, Florida.

George M. Burgess  
County Manager

**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF RATES**

**RETAIL CUSTOMERS**

**WATER:**

Effective: October 1, 2003/2004

**Meter Charge:**

**Meter Size**

**Monthly Charge**

5/8"	\$3.20
1"	\$7.15
1.5"	\$11.15
2"	\$23.85
3"	\$50.90
4"	\$79.50
6"	\$127.20
8"	\$222.60
10"	\$477.00
12"	\$901.00
14"	\$1,696.00
16"	\$3,180.00

**Monthly**

**Monthly Charge**

**Flow Rate All Usage:**

*Usage per 100 cubic feet (ccf):*

0 to 5 ccf	\$0.38
6 to 10 ccf	\$1.20
11 to 17 ccf	\$1.65
18 ccf and over	\$2.29

*Usage per 1,000 gallons:*

0 to 3,750 gallons	\$0.50
3,751 to 7,500 gallons	\$1.60
7,501 to 12,750 gallons	\$2.20
12,751 gallons and over	\$3.05

**NOTE: 100 cubic feet (ccf) equals 750 gallons**

**Multi-Family Dwellings (MFD) – based on individual units for retail water**

**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF RATES**

**RETAIL CUSTOMERS**

**WATER:**

Effective: October 1, 2003/2004

**Meter Charge:**

**Meter Size**

**Quarterly Charge**

5/8"	\$9.60
1"	\$21.45
1.5"	\$33.45
2"	\$71.55
3"	\$152.70
4"	\$238.50
6"	\$381.60
8"	\$667.80
10"	\$1,431.00
12"	\$2,703.00
14"	\$5,088.00
16"	\$9,540.00

**Quarterly**

**Quarterly Charge**

**Flow Rate All Usage:**

*Usage per 100 cubic feet (ccf):*

0 to 15 ccf	\$0.38
16 to 30 ccf	\$1.20
31 to 51 ccf	\$1.65
52 ccf and over	\$2.29

*Usage per 1,000 gallons:*

0 to 11,250 gallons	\$0.50
11,251 to 22,500 gallons	\$1.60
22,501 to 38,250 gallons	\$2.20
38,251 gallons and over	\$3.05

NOTE: 100 cubic feet (ccf) equals 750 gallons

**Multi-Family Dwellings (MFD) – based on individual units for retail water**

**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF RATES**

**RETAIL CUSTOMERS**

**WASTEWATER DISPOSAL:**

Effective: October 1, 2003/2004

**Monthly**

**Monthly Charge**

Base Facility Charge

\$3.25

Flow Rate All Usage:

*Usage per 100 cubic feet (ccf):*

0 to 5 ccf

\$1.39

6 to 17 ccf

\$2.18

18 ccf and over

\$2.70

*Usage per 1,000 gallons:*

0 to 3,750 gallons

\$1.85

3,751 to 12,750 gallons

\$2.90

12,751 gallons and over

\$3.60

**Quarterly**

**Quarterly Charge**

Base Facility Charge

\$9.75

Flow Rate All Usage:

*Usage per 100 cubic feet (ccf):*

0 to 15 ccf

\$1.39

16 to 51 ccf

\$2.18

52 ccf and over

\$2.70

*Usage per 1,000 gallons:*

0 to 11,250 gallons

\$1.85

11,251 to 38,250 gallons

\$2.90

38,251 gallons and over

\$3.60

NOTE: 100 cubic feet (ccf) equals 750 gallons

Multi-Family Dwellings (MFD) – based on individual units for retail wastewater

**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF RATES**

**WHOLESALE CUSTOMERS**

**WATER CUSTOMERS:**

Effective: October 1, 20032004

**Hialeah and Miami Springs**

*Flow rate per 1,000 gallons* \$0.72

**All Other Wholesale Customers**

*Flow rate per 1,000 gallons* \$0.85

**WASTEWATER CUSTOMERS:**

**Monthly Base Fee**

*(No gallonage disposal)* \$4.66

**Rates for Wet Season (May 1 to October 31 Annually)**

*Flow rate per 1,000 gallons* \$1.90

**Rates for Dry Season (November 1 to April 30 Annually)**

*Flow rate per 1,000 gallons* \$1.50

NOTE: 100 cubic feet (ccf) equals 750 gallons

**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

**WATER**

**FEES**

**Oversizing Credit**

Pipe Size	Credit Per Linear Foot	Credit Per Each Butterfly Valve
8" to 12"	\$7.50	Not Applicable
8" to 16"	\$15.75	No Credit
8" to 20"	\$27.75	\$1,325.00
8" to 24"	\$40.50	\$2,407.50
8" to 30"	\$74.25	\$3,367.50
8" to 36"	\$89.00	\$7,720.75
12" to 16"	\$6.00	No Credit
12" to 20"	\$6.25	\$1,175.00
12" to 24"	\$19.00	\$2,257.50
12" to 30"	\$52.75	\$3,217.50
12" to 36"	\$67.50	\$7,570.75
16" to 24"	\$20.00	No Credit

**Construction Connection Charge**

Pipe Size	Rate Per Front Foot
8"	\$18.00
12" (12-inch base size only)	\$30.00
16" (16-inch base size only)	\$35.00

**Service Installation Fees**

**Service Size**

1" (5/8" meter - twin off or second meter in existing dual box)	\$850.00
1" (single - 5/8" or 1" meter)	\$1,200.00
1" (dual - two 5/8" meters)	\$1,700.00
2" (single - 2" meter)	\$2,500.00
Greater than 2"	Actual Cost

NOTE: The above fees will apply for all typical service installations. However, the Department reserves the right to charge its actual costs for atypical service installations.

**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

**WATER**

**FEES**

**Temporary Portable Meter Guarantee Deposit**

Meter Size		
3/4"	\$100.00	
1"	\$400.00	<u>\$1,500.00</u>
1-1/2"	\$850.00	
2"	\$2,000.00	<u>\$2,500.00</u>

NOTE: Resolution No. 3281 specifically excludes the above deposits from earning simple interest calculated on guarantee deposits for retail customers.

**Fire Protection Water Service Rates**

Size of Fire Line Connection	Monthly	Quarterly
2"	\$2.25	\$6.75
3"	\$4.00	\$12.00
4"	\$7.00	\$21.00
6"	\$11.50	\$34.50
8"	\$15.00	\$45.00
10"	\$23.00	\$69.00
12"	\$30.00	\$90.00

**Fire Hydrant Service Charge**

Per month	\$0.80
Per quarter	\$2.40

**Connection Charge Rate (Impact Fee)**

Per average daily gallon	\$1.39
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**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

**WATER**

**FEES**

**Basic Customer Service Fees**

**A. Deposit**

Residential - based on customer's credit analysis and payment history      \$0.00 to \$100.00

Commercial - monthly

Amount based on 2.5 times the anticipated monthly billing with a minimum charge of \$50.00

Commercial - quarterly

Amount based on 1.5 times the anticipated quarterly billing with a minimum charge of \$50.00

**B. Charge for opening or transferring an account on billing system**

\$10.00

**C. Additional charge if a field visit is required to connect the water meter or obtain a water meter reading:**

Regular working hours

\$25.00

Non-regular working hours

\$30.00

**Other Service Fees**

**A. Office investigation of a delinquent account resulting from:**

Active meter violation

\$30.00

Returned check

(F.S. 20022003 - 125.0105, 832.08(5))

If face value of check does not exceed \$50.00

\$25.00

If face value of check exceeds \$50.00 but does not exceed \$300.00

\$30.00

If face value of check exceeds \$300.00

\$40.00

(or 5% of the face amount of check, whichever is greater)



**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

**WATER**

**FEES**

B. Field attempt to collect a payment or deposit or to discontinue water service by cutting or locking service or removing meter and plugging service	\$20.00
C. Field attempt to reconnect a cut-off or locked service or to reinstall a meter:	
Regular working hours	\$30.00
Non-regular working hours	\$35.00
D. Field visits after initial attempt to read meter or to inspect backflow prevention device required due to denied access	\$25.00
E. Customer requested check read	\$12.50
F. Penalty for failure to provide a meter reading or a meter for inspection as required for floating (construction) meters	\$150.00
G. Customer-requested high bill investigation which does not meet established criteria	\$20.00
H. Charges the Department incurs on behalf of the customer which shall be passed on to the customer	\$5.00 (minimum charge)
I. Field visit to inspect/verify repairs related to underground leak credits when repairs were not done by a licensed plumber	\$30.00

**Customer Requested Submeter Installation**

To cover cost of field inspections, approvals and clerical expenses for establishing future billings	\$50.00
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**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

**WATER**

**FEES**

**Pipe Tapping Charges**

Tap Size

1"	\$100.00
1-1/2"	\$110.00
2"	\$120.00
4"	\$180.00
6"	\$210.00
8"	\$280.00
12"	\$320.00
16"	\$650.00
20"	\$660.00

There will be a \$50.00 charge if Department personnel arrive on a job site and are unable to perform the tapping operation because the contractor has not fulfilled its obligations specified in the Rules and Regulations. No materials shall be furnished by the Department for installation under the prices listed above.

**Certified Meter Test Charge**

**\$40.00**

**Municipal Excise Tax on Water Bills**

As required by local ordinances, the Department will impose an excise tax on retail sales of water. Exempt from this tax are governmental agencies, houses of public worship and certain consulates.

**Permit Fee(s)**

As charged to the Department by various governmental agencies

**Service Location Certificate**

To obtain notification of any actual or potential lien amount attached to a service location

Fee per service address:

A. Regular service location certificate	\$10.00
B. 24-hour service location certificate	\$20.00

# MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES

## WATER

## FEES

### Plans Review and Inspection Fees

Firelines/Services	\$55.00
Water Main Extensions	
Up to 500 ft.	\$300.00
501 ft. to 2,000 ft.	\$350.00
Greater than 2,000 ft.	\$450.00
Renewal of expired approval and revisions (One year or more after original approval)	Same as original fee
Processing fees for the review and approval of plans for code compliance regarding water extension projects, including firelines.	

### Tailpiece Charge

Tailpiece Size	
3/4"	\$15.00
1"	\$25.00
2"	\$50.00

### Peak Flow Demand by Wholesale Customers

Surcharge (Per 1,000 gallons)	0%
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**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

**WATER**

**FEES**

**Laboratory Fees for Drinking Water Tests**

Per Sample (Excludes Sample Collection)

Bacteriology (Membrane Filter)	\$12.00
Color	\$10.00
Fluoride	\$20.00
Lead/Copper	\$50.00
Trihalomethanes	\$50.00
Water Quality Parameters	\$60.00
Volatile Organic Contaminants	\$75.00
Nitrate	\$10.00
Nitrite	\$10.00
Alkalinity	\$8.00
Chloride	\$8.00
Calcium	\$6.00
Hardness	\$8.00
Conductivity	\$4.00
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)	\$6.00
Turbidity	\$8.00
Chlorine Residual	\$10.00
Ammonia - Nitrogen	\$10.00
Dissolved Oxygen	\$6.00
Total Phosphorous	\$10.00
Ortho Phosphate	\$10.00
pH	\$4.00
Sulfate	\$8.00
Total Organic Carbon	\$16.00
Marble	\$25.00

**Sample Collection Fee**

Per Water Sample \$25.00

Fee charged for Department's laboratory sample collection services

**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

**WATER**

**FEES**

**Payment for Collection of Lead/Copper Water Test at Customer Tap**

Payment for collection of sample

(\$25.00)

Payment by Department to customers in established pool of homes who participate in sample collection for compliance with EPA Lead and Copper Rule (LCR).

**Release of Easement Fees**

A. Release of platted easement rights

\$250.00

B. Conditional consent letter for permission to use easement until required by Department

\$50.00

C. All other release requests

\$500.00

**Completion of Water and Sewer Verification Form Fees \***

(See Attached Table 2 for Listing)

**Water Only**

A. Residential (R-A)

\$30.00

B. Multi-family residential (R-B)

\$75.00

C. Non-residential (NR)

\$75.00

**Water & Sewer**

A. Residential (R-A)

\$60.00

B. Multi-family residential (R-B)

\$150.00

C. Non-residential (NR)

\$150.00

\* No additional process fee will apply to obtain "verification forms" after execution of agreement

**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

**WATER**

**FEES**

**Review and Release of Recorded Document Fees (Other Than Easements)  
(covenants, unities of title, service agreements, warranty deeds)**

A. Water only \$100.00

B. Water & sewer \$150.00

**Completion of Service Feasibility Questionnaire Fee** \$25.00

**Preparation of Service Agreement Fees \***

**Water Only**

A. Commercial use \$100.00

B. Residential and multi-family use \$100.00

**Water & Sewer**

A. Commercial use \$200.00

B. Residential and multi-family use \$200.00

\* No additional process fee will apply to obtain  
"verification forms" after execution of agreement

**Preparation of Letter of Availability Fees**

A. Water only \$50.00

B. Water & sewer \$100.00

**Other Recordable Legal Document Fees**

**A. Preparation of covenant**

1. Water only \$25.00

2. Water & sewer \$50.00

**B. Preparation of unity of title**

1. Water only \$25.00

2. Water & sewer \$50.00

**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

**WATER**

**FEES**

**Environmental Quality Control Board (EQCB) Letter Preparation Fees**

A. Water only	\$35.00
B. Water & sewer	\$70.00

**Review of Shop Drawings Fee**

Per shop drawing	\$60.00
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Fee charged for the review of shop drawings for Department compliance regarding water valve fittings and taps

**Blueline Prints Requested From As-Built Fee**

Fee per blueline print	\$5.00
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**Design and Construction Standard Specifications and Details Publication Fee**

Per publication	\$50.00
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**Safety and Rescue Training Course Fees**

**Water & Sewer**

A. Confined space entry (24 hours)	\$450.00
B. Hazardous material technician and incident command class (40 hours)	\$550.00
C. Hazwoper training (40 hours)	\$550.00
D. Air monitoring (16 hours)	\$150.00
E. Excavation safety (Trenching & shoring, 16 hours)	\$250.00

**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
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**WATER**

**FEES**

F. Fall protection/scaffolding (16 hours)	\$250.00
G. Electrical safety (16 hours)	\$500.00
H. Respiratory protection (40 hours)	\$450.00

NOTE: The revenues from the above course fees are allocated to the water and wastewater funds.

**Floating Meters Damaged/Cleaning Fees**

Meter Size

1"	\$10.00	<u>\$15.00</u>
2"	\$15.00	<u>\$25.00</u>

**Floating Meters**

<u>Charge to read a floating meter in the field</u>	<u>\$50.00</u>
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**Preparation of GIS Adhoc Maps and/or Data Fees**

Per hour (minimum one hour)	\$65.00
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Additional copies of the same map Per copy	\$25.00
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**Florida Power and Light - Turkey Point**

57.22% of water retail step rates based on consumption  
(per agreement)

**Detecto Meters**

Per 1,000 gallons	\$3.05
Per ccf	\$2.29



**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

**WATER**

**FEES**

**Security Fees**

**A. Fee for Issuance of Initial Identification Card  
and Personal Transponder**

Per Person

**\$60.00**

Fee charged for background check and processing costs for identification card and transponder issued to persons having access to restricted Department facilities.  
(consultants, contractors, non-Water and Sewer Department staff)

**B. Fee for Issuance of Initial Identification Card**

Per Person

**\$20.00**

Fee charged for processing costs for identification card issued to persons having access to Department facilities.  
(consultants, contractors, non-Water and Sewer Department staff)

**C. Fee for Renewal of Expired Identification Card  
(one year from date of issuance)  
(consultants, contractors, non-Water and Sewer  
Department staff)**

Per Person

**\$15.00**

**D. Fee for Replacement of Identification Card  
(card lost, stolen, etc.)**

Per Person

**\$15.00**

**E. Fee for Renewal of Expired Personal Transponder  
(one year from date of issuance)  
(consultants, contractors, non-Water and Sewer  
Department staff)**

Per Person

**\$15.00**

**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

**WATER**

**FEES**

**F. Fee for Replacement of Personal Transponder  
(transponder lost, stolen, etc.)**

Per Person

**\$15.00**

**G. Fee for Issuance of Initial Transponder for  
Vehicle or Equipment**

Per Vehicle or Piece of Equipment

**\$25.00**

Fee charged for processing costs for issuance of  
vehicle or equipment transponder to access  
Department facilities  
(consultants, contractors, non-Water and Sewer  
Department staff)

**H. Fee for Renewal of Expired Transponder for  
Vehicle or Equipment  
(one year from date of issuance)  
(consultants, contractors, non-Water and Sewer  
Department staff)**

Per Vehicle or Piece of Equipment

**\$25.00**

**I. Fee for Replacement of Transponder for Vehicle  
or Equipment  
(transponder lost, stolen, etc.)**

Per Vehicle or Piece of Equipment

**\$25.00**

**Subscription Fee to Access Customer Information System (CIS)**

Fee per user

**\$6,300.00**

Annual fee charged to title and lien companies to  
provide access to the Department's Customer  
Information System (CIS) via the Internet.

**Cut For Non-Payment (CONP)**

Third Attempt Water Meter Removal Charge

**\$250.00**

Fee charged to customers who intentionally blocked  
access to water meter on two previous attempts to  
collect or lock service for non-payment.

**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

**WATER**

**FEES**

**Developer Repayment Fee**

To cover administrative costs for collection and repayment of construction connection charges collected from connecting and/or abutting properties in behalf of developers who constructed the facilities.

2.5% of gross  
repayment

**Unauthorized Usage of Water on Fire Lines**

Daily penalty charge against fire line accounts for allowing unauthorized usage or waste of water.

\$100.00 per day

**General & Administrative (G&A) Overhead (OH) Rate**

Rate charged to offset general and administrative costs related to work performed by the Department due to request, damage (billable job orders) or contractual agreement.

10.6% of total cost

**Pipeline Installation Contributions**

Pipe Size

Rate Per  
Linear Foot

8"

\$42.00

12"

\$46.00

Contributory payments by developers of certain development projects as indicated by Section 2.04(2c) of the Rules and Regulations.

**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

**WASTEWATER**

**FEES**

**Oversizing Credit**

	Pipe Size	Credit Per Linear Foot	Credit Per Plug Valve
A. Force Mains	8" to 12"	\$7.50	No Credit
	8" to 16"	\$15.75	No Credit
	8" to 20"	\$38.75	No Credit
	8" to 24"	\$33.75	\$3,500.00
	8" to 30"	\$75.25	\$3,367.50
	8" to 36"	\$89.00	\$7,720.75
	12" to 16"	\$6.00	No Credit
	12" to 20"	\$33.25	No Credit
	12" to 24"	\$28.25	\$4,400.00
	12" to 30"	\$70.00	\$3,217.50
	12" to 36"	\$67.50	\$7,570.75
	16" to 24"	\$20.00	No Credit

Credit Per Inch  
Diameter Per  
Linear Foot

B. Gravity Sewer Mains	8" and greater	\$1.75
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**Construction Connection Charge**

Pipelines	Pipe Size	Rate Per Front Foot
Gravity Sewers	8"	\$20.00
Force Mains	8"	\$18.00
	12"	\$30.00
	16"	\$35.00

**Pump Station**

As determined by the Department  
based on actual cost

**Connection Charge Rate (Impact Fee)**

Per average daily gallon	\$5.60
Per average daily gallon for customers utilizing a graywater disposal system	\$2.80

# **MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT** **SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

## **WASTEWATER**

**FEES**

### **Customer Deposit**

Residential -  
 based on customer's credit analysis and payment history

\$0.00 to \$100.00

Commercial - monthly

Amount based on 2.5 times the  
 anticipated monthly billing with a  
 minimum charge of \$50.00

Commercial - quarterly

Amount based on 1.5 times the  
 anticipated quarterly billing with a  
 minimum charge of \$50.00

### **Septic Tank Disposal Fee**

Charged to commercial tankers for unloading septic tank  
 waste at wastewater treatment plants

0 - 1,000 gallons - per truck

\$32.50

1,001 - 1,500 gallons - per truck

\$48.75

1,501 - 2,000 gallons - per truck

\$65.00

Over 2,000 gallons - per hundred gallons

\$3.25

### **Grease Trap Disposal Fee**

Charged to commercial tankers for unloading grease trap  
 waste at wastewater treatment plants

0 - 1,000 gallons - per truck

\$70.00

1,001 - 1,500 gallons - per truck

\$105.00

1,501 - 2,000 gallons - per truck

\$140.00

Over 2,000 gallons - per hundred gallons

\$7.00

**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

**WASTEWATER**

**FEES**

**Combined Septic Tank and Grease Trap Disposal Fee**

Charged to commercial tankers for unloading combined septic tank and grease trap waste at wastewater treatment plants

0 - 1,000 gallons - per truck	\$42.00
1,001 - 1,500 gallons - per truck	\$63.00
1,501 - 2,000 gallons - per truck	\$84.00
Over 2,000 gallons - per hundred gallons	\$4.20

**Septic Tank Disposal Deposit**

Per septic tank disposal account	\$2,000.00
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**High Strength Sewage Surcharge**

Per pound for portion of suspended solids in excess of a concentration of 200 milligrams per liter	\$0.1400
Per pound for portion of biochemical oxygen demand in excess of a concentration of 200 milligrams per liter	\$0.1900

**Pump Station Maintenance Fee**

Fee charged for maintenance of pump stations under contract with the Department

Per month	\$1,100.00
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**Discharge Regulations Violations**

Fine for failure to comply with discharge regulations	\$500.00
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Removal of Clean-Out Plug	\$150.00
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**Permit Fee(s)**

As charged to the Department by various governmental agencies

**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

**WASTEWATER**

**FEES**

**Service Location Certificate**

To obtain notification of any actual or potential lien amount attached to a service location

Fee per service address:

A. Regular service location certificate	\$10.00
B. 24-hour service location certificate	\$20.00

**Plans Review and Inspection Fees**

Laterals/Connections \$55.00

Sewer Main Extensions

Up to 500 ft.	\$300.00
501 ft. to 2,000 ft.	\$350.00
Greater than 2,000 ft.	\$450.00

Pump Station \$800.00

Renewal of expired approval and revisions  
(One year or more after approval) Same as original fee

Processing fees for the review and approval of plans for code compliance regarding sewer extension projects, including sewer laterals, connections and pump stations

**Weed Control Fee**

Per quarter \$41.00 \$52.00

Facilities with Excessive Infiltration Surcharge 10%

Discharge of Sludge Charge \$40.00/ton

Peak Flow Discharges by Wholesale Customers (per 1,000 gallons) 0%

**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES**

**WASTEWATER**

**FEES**

**Telemetering Equipment Installation Fee**

Fee charged for installation of telemetering equipment at developer installed pump stations

Per pump station \$7,550.00

**Marinas**

40% of retail rate

**Septage Truck Cleanout Charge**

Per cleanout \$25.00

**Release of Easement Fees**

A. Release of platted easement rights \$250.00

B. Conditional consent letter for permission to use easement until required by Department \$50.00

C. All other release requests \$500.00

**Completion of Application Form Fees**

A. Utilities collection transmission capacity form \$50.00

B. Industrial pre-treatment facility application form

Sewer only \$150.00

**Completion of Water and Sewer Verification Form Fees \***

(See Attached Table 2 for Listing)

**Sewer Only**

A. Residential (R-A) \$30.00

B. Multi-family residential (R-B) \$75.00

C. Non-residential (NR) \$75.00



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**Water & Sewer**

A. Residential (R-A)	\$60.00
B. Multi-family residential (R-B)	\$150.00
C. Non-residential (NR)	\$150.00

\* No additional process fee will apply to obtain  
"verification forms" after execution of agreement

**Review and Release of Recorded Document Fees (Other Than Easements)**  
**(covenants, unities of title, service agreements, warranty deeds)**

A. Sewer only	\$100.00
B. Water & sewer	\$150.00

**Preparation of Service Agreement Fees \***

**Sewer Only**

A. Commercial use	\$100.00
B. Residential and multi-family use	\$100.00

**Water & Sewer**

A. Commercial use	\$200.00
B. Residential and multi-family use	\$200.00

\* No additional process fee will apply to obtain  
"verification forms" after execution of agreement

**Preparation of Letter of Availability Fees**

A. Sewer only	\$50.00
B. Water & sewer	\$100.00

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**Other Recordable Legal Document Fees**

**A. Preparation of covenant**

1. Sewer only \$25.00

2. Water & sewer \$50.00

**B. Preparation of unity of title**

1. Sewer only \$25.00

2. Water & sewer \$50.00

**Completion of Groundwater Discharge Form Fee** \$50.00

**Environmental Quality Control Board (EQCB) Letter Preparation Fees**

A. Sewer only \$35.00

B. Water & sewer \$70.00

**Customer Call-Out Fees**

Fee for investigation and/or emergency response to sewer collection complaints (call-outs), fee charged only if Department is not responsible to correct complaint

Fee per call-out:

A. Regular working hours \$125.00

B. Non-regular working hours \$175.00

**Customer Initiated Closed Circuit Television Lateral Inspection Fee**

Per inspection \$250.00

**Review of Shop Drawings Fee**

Per shop drawing \$100.00

Fee charged for the review of shop drawings for Department compliance regarding sewer manholes, fittings, taps and pump stations

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**FEES**

**Blueline Prints Requested From As-Built Fee**

Fee per blueline print	\$5.00
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**Design and Construction Standard Specifications and Details Publication Fee**

Per publication	\$50.00
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**Safety and Rescue Training Course Fees**

**Water & Sewer**

A. Confined space entry (24 hours)	\$450.00
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B. Hazardous material technician and incident command class (40 hours)	\$550.00
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C. Hazwoper training (40 hours)	\$550.00
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D. Air monitoring (16 hours)	\$150.00
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E. Excavation safety (Trenching & shoring, 16 hours)	\$250.00
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F. Fall protection/scaffolding (16 hours)	\$250.00
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G. Electrical safety (16 hours)	\$500.00
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H. Respiratory protection (40 hours)	\$450.00
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**NOTE:** The revenues from the above course fees are allocated to the water and wastewater funds.

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**FEES**

**Laboratory Fees for Wastewater Tests**

Per Sample (Excludes Sample Collection)

Bacteriology (Membrane Filter)	\$12.00
Nitrate	\$10.00
Nitrite	\$10.00
Alkalinity	\$8.00
Chloride	\$8.00
Conductivity	\$4.00
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)	\$6.00
Chlorine Residual	\$10.00
Ammonia - Nitrogen	\$10.00
Dissolved Oxygen	\$6.00
Total Phosphorous	\$10.00
Ortho Phosphate	\$10.00
Biochemical Oxygen Demand	\$12.00
pH	\$4.00
Sulfate	\$8.00
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	\$14.00
Total Organic Carbon	\$16.00
Total Suspended Solids	\$6.00

**Preparation of GIS Adhoc Maps and/or Data Fees**

Per hour (minimum one hour) \$65.00

Additional copies of the same map  
Per copy \$25.00

**Billing Service Fee for Processing Stormwater  
Utility Fee for Municipalities**

Fee Determined by  
Agreement

**Billing Service Fee for Processing Sewer Billings  
for Coral Gables**

Fee Determined by  
Agreement

**Graywater Disposal System**

Customers who utilize an approved graywater disposal system and install a sub-meter to measure water entering the property which utilizes the graywater disposal system will not be charged wastewater disposal for usage measured on the sub-meter.

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**WASTEWATER**

**FEES**

**Security Fees**

**A. Fee for Issuance of Initial Identification Card and Personal Transponder**

Per Person

**\$60.00**

Fee charged for background check and processing costs for identification card and transponder issued to persons having access to restricted Department facilities.

(consultants, contractors, non-Water and Sewer Department staff)

**B. Fee for Issuance of Initial Identification Card**

Per Person

**\$20.00**

Fee charged for processing costs for identification card issued to persons having access to Department facilities.

(consultants, contractors, non-Water and Sewer Department staff)

**C. Fee for Renewal of Expired Identification Card**

(one year from date of issuance)

(consultants, contractors, non-Water and Sewer Department staff)

Per Person

**\$15.00**

**D. Fee for Replacement of Identification Card**

(card lost, stolen, etc.)

Per Person

**\$15.00**

**E. Fee for Renewal of Expired Personal Transponder**

(one year from date of issuance)

(consultants, contractors, non-Water and Sewer Department staff)

Per Person

**\$15.00**

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**F. Fee for Replacement of Personal Transponder  
(transponder lost, stolen, etc.)**

Per Person

**\$15.00**

**G. Fee for Issuance of Initial Transponder for Vehicle or  
Equipment**

Per Vehicle or Piece of Equipment

**\$25.00**

Fee charged for processing costs for issuance of  
vehicle or equipment transponder to access  
Department facilities  
(consultants, contractors, non-Water and Sewer  
Department staff)

**H. Fee for Renewal of Expired Transponder for Vehicle  
or Equipment  
(one year from date of issuance)  
(consultants, contractors, non-Water and Sewer  
Department staff)**

Per Vehicle or Piece of Equipment

**\$25.00**

**I. Fee for Replacement of Transponder for Vehicle or  
Equipment  
(transponder lost, stolen, etc.)**

Per Vehicle or Piece of Equipment

**\$25.00**

**J. Fee for Issuance of Initial Identification Card and  
Personal Transponder for Septic Tank Company  
Employees**

Per Septic Tank Company Employee

**\$35.00**

Fee charged for processing costs for identification  
card and transponder issued to persons having access  
to septic tank unloading system at Central and South  
District Wastewater Treatment Facilities.

**K. Fee for Renewal of Expired Identification Card and  
Personal Transponder for Septic Tank Company  
Employees  
(one year from date of issuance)**

Per Septic Tank Company Employee

**\$30.00**

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**FEES**

- L. Fee for Replacement of Identification Card and Personal Transponder for Septic Tank Company Employees  
(card and transponder lost, stolen, etc.)

Per Septic Tank Company Employee

\$30.00

- M. Fee for Issuance of Initial Transponder for Septic Tank Vehicles

Per Septic Tank Vehicle

\$25.00

Fee charged for processing costs for issuance of septic tank vehicle transponder for access to septic tank unloading system at Central and South District Wastewater Treatment Facilities.

- N. Fee for Renewal of Expired Transponder for Septic Tank Vehicles  
(one year from date of issuance)

Per Septic Tank Vehicle

\$25.00

- O. Fee for Replacement of Transponder for Septic Tank Vehicles  
(transponder lost, stolen, etc.)

Per Septic Tank Vehicle

\$25.00

**Subscription Fee to Access Customer Information System (CIS)**

Fee per user

\$6,300.00

Annual fee charged to title and lien companies to provide access to the Department's Customer Information System (CIS) via the Internet.

**Cut For Non-Payment (CONP)**

Third Attempt Water Meter Removal Charge

\$250.00

Fee charged to customers who intentionally blocked access to water meter on two previous attempts to collect or lock service for non-payment.

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**FEES**

**Developer Repayment Fee**

To cover administrative costs for collection and repayment of construction connection charges collected from connecting and/or abutting properties in behalf of developers who constructed the facilities. 2.5% of gross repayment

**General & Administrative (G&A) Overhead (OH) Rate**

Rate charged to offset general and administrative costs related to work performed by the Department due to request, damage (billable job orders) or contractual agreement.

10.6% of total cost



**MIAMI-DADE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT  
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Table 2			
No.	Types of Building Usages	Rating	Verification Form Fee Listing
1	Adult Congregate Living Units and Other Residential Institutions and Facilities	100 gpcd	NR
2	Airport	5 gpd/passenger 10 gpd/employee	NR
3	Apartments (per unit)	200 gpd	R-B
4	Banquet Halls	25 gpd/seat	NR
5	Barbershops	10 gpd/100 sq. ft.	NR
6	Bars and Cocktail Lounges	25 gpd/seat	NR
7	Beauty Shops	75 gpd/seat	NR
8	Bowling Alleys	100 gpd/lane	NR
9	Camper or Trailer Parks	150 gpd/space	NR
10	Car Washes (hand type)	<del>3,500 gpd</del> 1,000 gpd/bay	NR
11	Car Washes (recycling type)	750 gpd/bay	NR
12	Coin Laundries	<del>225</del> 175 gpd/washer	NR
13	Country Clubs	25 gpd/member	NR
14	Dentist Offices	<del>250</del> 275 gpd/dentist <del>200 gpd/wetchair</del>	NR
15	Duplexes or Twin Home Residences	250 gpd/unit	R-A
16	Factories (with showers)	20 gpd/100 sq. ft.	NR
17	Factories (without showers)	10 gpd/100 sq. ft.	NR
18	Food Preparation Outlets (bakeries, meat markets, commissaries)	350 gpd minimum 50 gpd/100 sq. ft.	NR
19	Funeral Homes	10 gpd/100 sq. ft.	NR
20	Gas Stations, Minimarts	450 gpd	NR
21	Health Spas, Gyms (with showers)	35 gpd/100 sq. ft.	NR
22	Health Spas, Gyms (without showers)	20 gpd/100 sq. ft.	NR

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**Table 2**

No.	Types of Building Usages	Rating	Verification Form Fee Listing
223	Hospitals (with laundry)	250 gpd/bed	NR
23	Hospitals (without laundry)	250 gpd/bed	NR
24	Hotels and Motels	100 gpd/room or unit	NR
25	House of Worship	3 gpd/seat	NR
26	Kennels	30 gpd/cage	NR
27	Marinas	40 gpd/boat slip	NR
28	Mobile Home Parks	300 gpd/unit	R-A
29	Motor Vehicle Service Stations	10 gpd/100 sq. ft.	NR
30	Nursing or Convalescent Homes	150 gpd/bed	NR
31	Office Buildings	10 gpd/100 sq. ft.	NR
32	Parks (with toilets only)	5 gpd/person	NR
33	Parks (with toilets and showers)	20 gpd/person	NR
34	Pet Grooming	10 gpd/100 sq. ft. + 75 gpd/tub	NR
35	Physician Offices	250 gpd/physician	NR
36	Public Swimming Facilities	10 gpd/person	NR
37	Restaurants (full service)	50 gpd/seat 350 gpd minimum	NR
38	Restaurants (fast food service)	35 gpd/seat 350 gpd minimum	NR
39	Restaurants (take-out service)	50 gpd/100 sq. ft. 350 gpd minimum	NR
40	Schools a) day care/nursery b) regular schools c) with cafeteria, add: d) with showers, add: e) teachers and staff	5 gpd/student 10 gpd/student 5 gpd/student 5 gpd/student 15 gpd/student	NR  DADE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD IS EXEMPT

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Table 2			
No.	Types of Building Usages	Rating	Verification Form Fee Listing
41	Shopping Centers (dry use)	5 gpd/100 sq. ft.	NR
42	Show Rooms	10 gpd/100 sq. ft.	NR
43	Single Family Residences	350 gpd	R-A
44	Stadiums, Frontons, Ball Parks	3 gpd/seat	NR
45	Storage or Mini Warehouses	5 gpd/1,000 sq. ft.	NR
46	Stores (without food service)	5 gpd/100 sq. ft.	NR
47	Theaters a) indoor auditorium b) outdoor drive-in	3 gpd/seat 5 gpd/car space	NR
48	Townhouse Residences	250 gpd	R-B
49	Veterinarian Offices a) per veterinarian b) with kennels	250 gpd 30 gpd/cage	NR
50	Warehouse/Industrial Speculation Buildings	20 gpd/1,000 sq. ft.	NR

Note:

- gpd = gallons per day
- gpcd = gallons per capita per day
- R-A = Residential
- R-B = Multi-family Residential
- NR = Non-residential